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REQUEST TO WITHDRAW THE NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT

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Sir:

Applicants received a Notice of Abandonment dated April 22, 2008, allegedly for "Applicant's failure to timely file corrected drawings as required by, and within the three-month period set in the Notice of Allowability (PTO-37); (b) No corrected drawing have been received". However, as noted on the attached copy of the Electronic Acknowledgement Receipt, corrected drawings were filed in the U.S. Patent Office on September 7, 2007, which was in response to the telephone interview conducted with the Examiner on September 7, 2007. Therefore, the corrected drawings have been filed and are included in the image file wrapper section of the file with the USPTO. Accordingly, Applicants request that the Notice of Abandonment be withdrawn.

In order to aid the Examiner, Applicants submit herewith a copy of the Electronic Acknowledgement Receipt and corrected drawings as filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on September 7, 2007.

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In view of the abandonment being the fault of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office,
Applicants respectfully request that the Notice of Abandonment be withdrawn.

Respectfully submitted,

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